## **Arlington Parks & Recreation**

District 3 Town Hall Meeting November 15, 2010





### What We Maintain

- 88 parks
- 4,700 acres of parkland
- 125,000 trees
- 82 athletic fields
- 48 miles of trails
- 47 playgrounds
- 4 golf courses
- 5 recreation centers
- 2 senior centers
- 7 aquatic facilities

- 3 spraygrounds
- 45 tennis courts
- 35 basketball/volleyball courts
- 2 equestrian trails
- 1 dog park
- 1 disc golf course
- Lake Arlington
- 40 municipal facilities
- 350 miles of medians/ROW
- Vacant city-owned properties











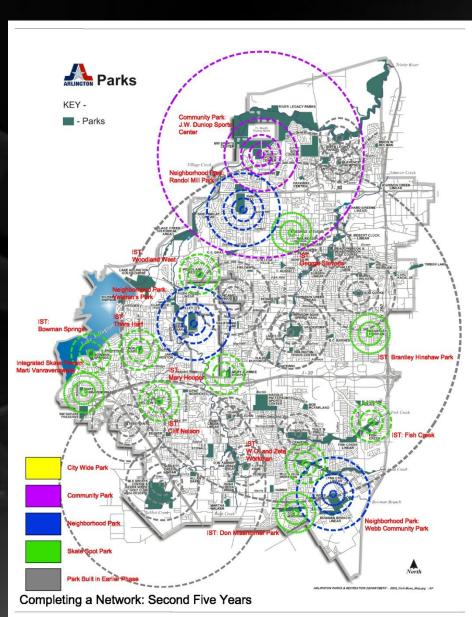


## Skatepark System Master Plan

- Help build strong and healthy neighborhoods
- Add skateboarding vibrancy to Arlington
- Promote skateboarding, bmx freestyle riding and in-line skating as legitimate recreational activities within our community
- Provide skatepark opportunities in all geographic regions within the city
- Promote development of skateparks in neighborhoods under-served by parks and recreation opportunities
- Identify skatepark typologies and provide a tiered system that provides a range of facilities with varied amenities and features

## Skatepark System Master Plan

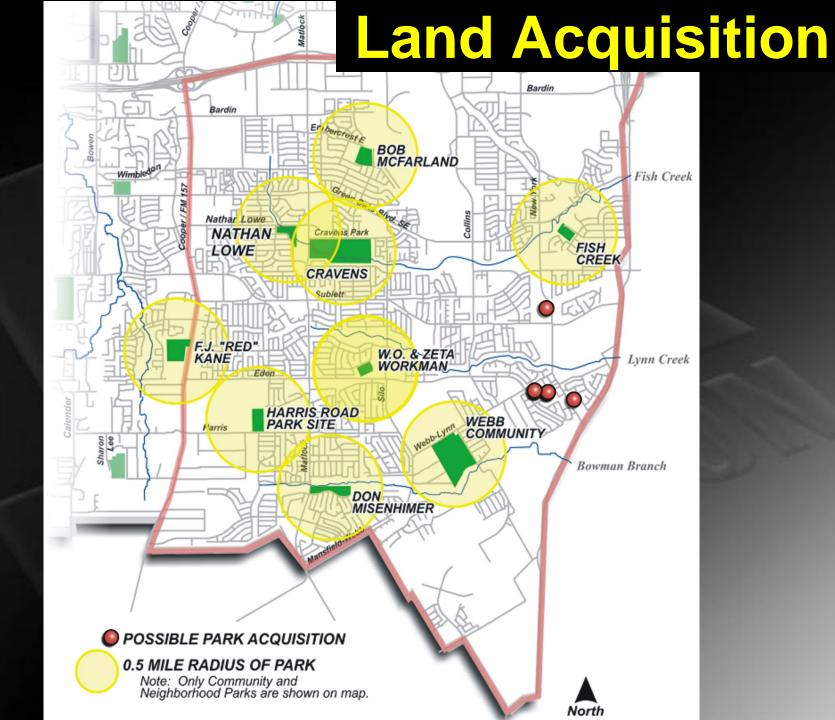
- Hosted 3 Open Houses in June
- 468 online surveys completed
- First draft is complete
- Skate Demo and Open House - November 4<sup>th</sup>
- Finalizing site recommendations
- Final draft scheduled for completion in January

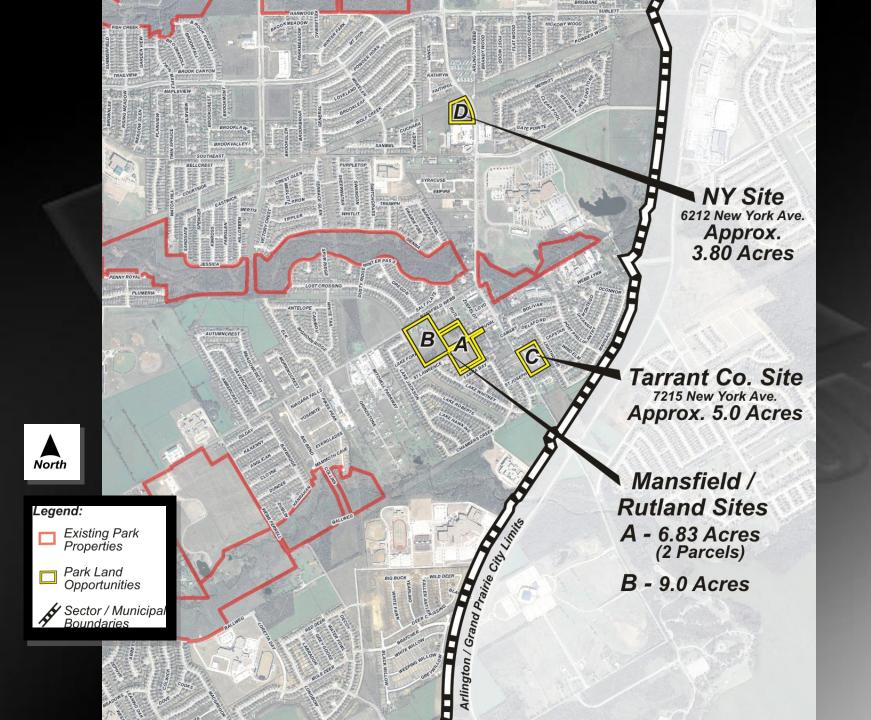




## Recently Completed Projects

- Land Acquisition
- Playground Shade Structures
- Vandergriff Park
- Harold Patterson Sports Center
- Lynn Creek Linear Park
- Fish Creek Volunteer Cleanup













# Playground Shade Structures

- Completed in spring 2010
- 8 parks included
- Funded by ATF grant

Cravens Park



# Vandergriff Park

### Completed Spring 2010

- Concession/Restroom building
- Concrete roadways
- Concrete parking
- Trail connection
- Landscaping







### **Harold Patterson Sports Center**

### Completed January 2010

- New master plan adopted in 2008
- Commercial development
- Phase I redevelopment
  - Parking
  - Soccer fields
  - Field lighting
  - Walkways
  - Landscaping





## Lynn Creek Linear Park

### Completed Spring 2010

#### Trail connections

- Matlock to Silo Road
- Silo Rd to Buttercup Lane

#### **Future Phases**

 Under Eden Rd and Collins Street intersection







# Fish Creek Volunteer Clean-Up

- Volunteer event on October 23<sup>rd</sup>
- 200 volunteers from Fielder Road Baptist Church







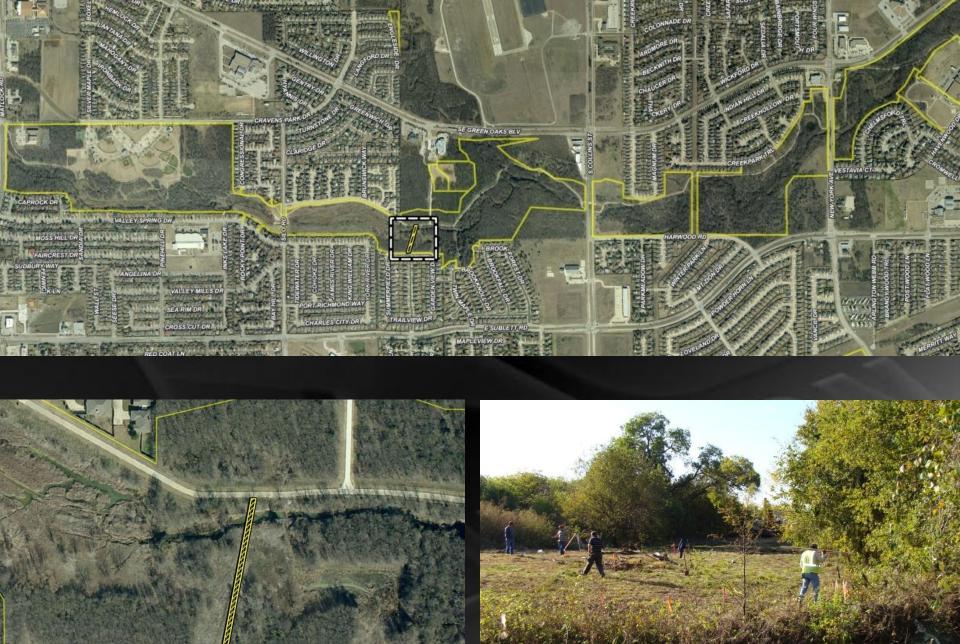
## **Upcoming Capital Projects**

- Fish Creek Linear Park trail linkage
- Marrow Bone Springs Park renovations
- B.C. Barnes Park renovations
- Cravens Park renovations
- Webb Community Park phase III
- Tails `n Trails Dog Park lighting
- Bowman Branch Linear Park

### Fish Creek Linear Park

#### **Under Construction**

- Pedestrian bridge over Fish Creek
- Trail connection from Fish Creek Drive
- Connects to Fish Creek Linear Park system
- Expected completion March 2011





# Marrow Bone Spring Park

### **Under Design**

- Bids due in December 2010
- Expected completion June 2011
- Rebuild asphalt trail and parking lot





## **B.C.** Barnes Park

### **Under Design**

- 2005 park bond funding
- Playground and pavilion renovations
- Trail
- Open space
- Landscaping

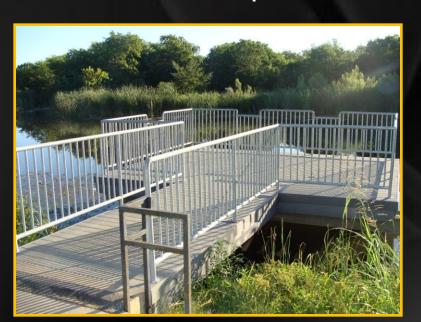




### **Cravens Park**

#### **Under Construction**

- 2005 park bond funding
- Pond improvements
- Trail replacement
- Playground renovations
- Restroom improvements





## Webb Community Park

### Under Design Phase III

- Additional parking
- Restroom
- Baseball field
- Trail
- Landscaping
- Second entrance





# Tails `n Trails Dog Park

#### **Under Construction**

- Lighting
- Funding provided by ATF grant





## **Bowman Branch Linear Park**

- Tin Cup to Matlock
- Don Misenhimer Park to Webb Community Park
- Received \$1.1M grant from TxDOT
- Currently under design
- Construction should begin Fall 2011







### Bowman Branch Trail 1 & 2

City of Arlington, Texas

Preliminary Trail Layout





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Bowman Branch Trail 3 & 4

City of Arlington, Texas

Preliminary Trail Layout



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## **Future Capital Projects**

- Webb Community Park phase IV
  - Walking trail, parking, playground
- Linear Park pocket parks
  - Amenity nodes along trail systems
- Bob McFarland Park playground renovations
- Vandergriff Park
  - Baseball fields, walking trail, pavilion, landscaping

# Questions?

